

KILLING FROST IN FLORIDA

Conditions Favorable for More Snow Over Ohio Valley and Tennessee.

HOURLY READINGS.

JANUARY 2.		JANUARY 1.	
5 a.m.	29	5 a.m.	29
6 a.m.	28	6 a.m.	28
7 a.m.	28	7 a.m.	28
8 a.m.	28	8 a.m.	28
9 a.m.	28	9 a.m.	28
10 a.m.	28	10 a.m.	28
11 a.m.	28	11 a.m.	28
12 m.	28	12 m.	28
1 p.m.	28	1 p.m.	28
2 p.m.	28	2 p.m.	28

Weather at 2 p.m., cloudy; humidity, 12 noon, 86.

Local Forecast.

Snow tonight; Thursday fair, moderate temperature.

River Forecast.

The river will remain nearly stationary tonight and Thursday.

Local Data.

Temperature for twenty-four hours: Highest yesterday, 28; lowest last night, 23; mean, 26.

Normal for this date, 40; accumulated deficiency in mean temperature since Jan. 1, 11 degrees.

Relative humidity (per cent), 7 p.m., 64; 7 a.m., 78.

Precipitation in twenty-four hours ending 7 a.m. today, .03 inches.

Total precipitation since Jan. 1, 0.03 inches.

Accumulated deficiency is 0.15 inches.

Highest wind velocity for twenty-four hours ending 7 a.m. today, fourteen miles, south.

Fail stage at 7 a.m. (feet), 8.4.

Rise in twenty-four hours (feet), 0.1.

Weather Conditions.

A disturbance of considerable intensity is central over the Ohio valley this morning, with precipitation in the form of snow over the Ohio valley, Tennessee and eastward to the middle Atlantic states. There has been a general rise in temperature over the central valleys and the southern states. Over the upper lake region and the New England states temperatures continue below zero. Killing frost occurred at Jacksonville and light frost at Tampa. A moderate high-pressure area is created over the great basin, but is not attended by very low temperatures.

Conditions are favorable for snow over this section tonight; Thursday fair, moderate temperature.

Weather for Four States.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Forecast: Tennessee—Cloudy tonight; probably local snows central and east portions, somewhat colder west portion; Thursday fair, little change in temperature.

Alabama—Fair tonight and Thursday, little change in temperature.

Georgia—Fair northwest, snow or rain east and south portions tonight; Thursday fair, little change in temperature.

Reports From Stations.

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Abilene 28 28 12 .02

Amesbury 28 28 12 .02

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Memphis 28 28 12 .02

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New York 28 28 12 .02

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San Antonio 28 28 12 .02

San Francisco 28 28 12 .02

Washington 28 28 12 .02

(Wind velocities of less than ten miles an hour and amounts of precipitation of less than one-tenth of an inch are indicated by dots.)

FORT OGLETHORPE LINE

Effective Thursday, Jan. 3, 1918, cars on the new line to Fort Oglethorpe will be routed by way of Roswell Short Line to Forty-fifth street, thence to terminus.

Cars leave Savannah and Market streets ten minutes, thirty minutes and fifty minutes after the hour.

Chattanooga Railway and Light Company.

GERMANS BALKED IN ATTEMPT TO CROSS PIAVE

Rome, Jan. 2.—Another attempt to cross the Piave river has been defeated by the Italians. The war office announces. Half a score of vessels loaded with enemy troops were dispersed at Intestadura, when the crossing was attempted.

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STOCK MARKET SHOWS FIRMNESS

New York, Jan. 2.—A general air of confidence characterized the opening of the new year on the stock exchange.

Initial quotations were only moderately higher, but these were immediately succeeded by an impressive inquiry for ship-

ping stocks and copper which lifted those shares 1 1/2 to 3 points. Among the specialties the features were General Motors at an advance of 1 1/2 points and Texas Company at 7 1/2. The rise was in full swing at the end of the first half-hour.

Liberty bonds advanced one point. An announcement that the government had moved to postpone prosecution of the more important antitrust cases now before the supreme court brought additional strength to the list in the afternoon.

Rails also rallied on buying of coal and steel.

Steel and shippings mounted higher in the final hour and rails continued to harden. The closing was strong. Liberty bonds were quoted at 97.30 to 98.50, and the 3 1/2s at 98.60 to 99.40.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Mon. Wed. day.

American Best Sugar 71 73 1/2

American Can 28 1/2 29 1/2

American Car and Foundry 63 1/2 64 1/2

American Locomotive 55 1/2 56 1/2

American Smelting and Ref. 75 1/2 76 1/2

American Sugar Refining 98 1/2 99 1/2

Anacosta Copper 61 1/2 62 1/2

Baldwin Locomotive 85 1/2 86 1/2

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Baltimore and Ohio 52 1/2 53 1/2

Bethlehem Steel 75 1/2 76 1/2

Canadian Pacific 139 1/2 140 1/2

Central Leather 64 1/2 65 1/2

Chesapeake and Ohio 61 1/2 62 1/2

Chgo. Mil. and St. P. 46 1/2 47 1/2

Chgo. R. I. and P. Ry. 26 1/2 27 1/2

Chgo. Copper 42 1/2 43 1/2

Colorado Fuel and Iron 36 1/2 37 1/2

Columbia Gas and Electric 23 1/2 24 1/2

Corn Products 21 1/2 22 1/2

Cruible Steel 53 1/2 54 1/2

Cuba Sugar 11 1/2 12 1/2

Gen. Motors 115 1/2 116 1/2

General Northern Pfd. 83 1/2 84 1/2

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Inspiration Copper 47 1/2 48 1/2

Inter. Merc. Marine Pfd. 83 1/2 84 1/2

Kennecott Copper 115 1/2 116 1/2

Louisville and Nashville 115 1/2 116 1/2

Maxwell Motor Co. 25 1/2 26 1/2

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Midvale Steel 43 1/2 44 1/2

Missouri Pacific 24 1/2 25 1/2

New York Central 115 1/2 116 1/2

Norfolk and Western 104 1/2 105 1/2

Ohio Pacific 86 1/2 87 1/2

Pennsylvania 47 1/2 48 1/2

Pittsburgh Coal 45 1/2 46 1/2

Reading 23 1/2 24 1/2

Republic Iron and Steel 73 1/2 74 1/2

Southern Railway 24 1/2 25 1/2

Studebaker Co. 43 1/2 44 1/2

Texas Co. 12 1/2 13 1/2

Tobacco Products 49 1/2 50 1/2

United Pacific 115 1/2 116 1/2

U. S. Industrial Alcohol 115 1/2 116 1/2

U. S. Rubber 52 1/2 53 1/2

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DECIDED FALL IN GRAIN PRICES

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Corn prices showed a tendency to ease down today, owing to warmer weather that promised to help bring about more liberal receipts.

Opening quotations, which ranged from the same as Monday's high to 1/2c lower, with January 1 1/2c and May 1 1/4c, 1 1/2c, were followed by a little further advance and then a moderate general upturn.

Export buying lifted oats.

Absence of selling pressure led to an advance in provisions. The best demand was for ribs.

The close was weak at the same as Monday's high to 1/2c lower, with January 1 1/2c and May 1 1/4c, 1 1/2c, 1 1/2c.

RANGE OF PRICES ON THE CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

Month. Open. High. Low. Close.

Jan. 1 1/2c 1 1/2c 1 1/2c 1 1/2c

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